

## MICHIGAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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## MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON MICHIGAN COMPETITIVENESS

Wednesday, May 29, 2018

9:00 a.m.

Room 308 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Michigan Competitiveness was called to order by the Chair.

Chairman Chatfield requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Members present: Reps. Chatfield, Cole, Vaupel, Rendon, and Geiss. Members absent/excused: Reps. Lilly, Wentworth, Hammoud, and Yancey.

Representative Rendon moved to approve the minutes from the May 23rd, 2018 meeting. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid Senate Bill No. 1016 before the committee:

SB 1016 (Stamas) Corporate income tax; insurance companies; rate; reduce for certain

gross premiums.

Senator Jim Stamas, and John Walsh, director of the Michigan State Budget Office, testified in support of the bill.

Dominick Pallone, representing the Michigan Association of Health Plans, testified with concerns pertaining to the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

The following individuals submitted a card in support of the bill, but did not wish to speak:

Mark Cook, representing Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan. Delaney McKinley, representing the Michigan Manufacture Association.

Representative Cole made a motion to excuse absent members. No objections being offered, absent members were excused.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 9:11 a.m.

Representative Lee Chatfield, Chair\_\_\_\_\_

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